

TELLS ABOUT STATE SPIRIT

M. H. Shelton Addressed Churchmen's Body on Subject of the Arizona Spirit; Says All Must Boost for Common Good

A special meeting of the executive board of the Advancement League, an organization of the colored citizens of Phoenix, was held last evening at the Colored Methodist Episcopal church. The purpose of the meeting was the discussion of general business conditions.

By special invitation M. H. Shelton addressed the board dealing particularly with co-operation as a means of attaining best results.

"The Arizona spirit," said Mr. Shelton, "is a spirit of co-operation and nothing can beat it. If there was ever a time when citizens in every walk of life in this community should pull together it is now. We have right now the opportunity to work for the interests of a public market that will do more to help the farmers of this city and this valley than any one other influence. Through a properly conducted public market a sure and profitable market will be assured for every product of the soil. The farmer is the one merchant who above all others needs and should have the undivided support of every business man and every citizen, because his business is legitimate in every sense and a necessity."

"The king is served from the field and so is the man and woman from the humble walks of life. We must get that which sustains life from Mother Earth. No city or state offers such opportunities as ours for a complete marketing system. Our state can find a ready market for every pound the soil will produce. We can demand the top prices for our products and this can be made possible only through co-operation such as a public market, properly conducted, would afford. The sooner we increase our products and arrange a systematic marketing plan, the sooner we will get a main line railroad."

"With the mines working at full capacity and the products of the valley being almost commandeered to supply the needs of the miners and their families, there should be no good reason for business depression in the Salt River valley."

"The public market is just as vital a factor for the welfare of the housewife of Phoenix as it is for the housewife of the mining camp. And co-operation between the farmer and the housewife through the medium of the public market is an essential to the elimination of the high cost of living. The losses to the farmer through overproduction of unmarketable commodities and under production of those things for which there is insistent demand. Let us all get together and work to the end that the soil production be increased, that the farmer may reap the benefits of his toil and that conditions generally may be bettered."

VICE CONSUL HEARD ARRESTED

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
LONDON, Jan. 21.—A dispatch from Sofia via Rome says that British Vice Consul Heard has been arrested by Bulgarian officers despite protest of the American charge d'affaires at whose home he had taken refuge.

GERMANS LACK COAL

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
LONDON, Jan. 21.—The German campaign in Egypt is meeting obstacles it was announced here today through the lack of coal to operate the roads which the Germans have constructed southward through Syria to the edge of the desert approaching the Suez canal.

Hire a little salesman at The Republican office. A want Ad will see more customers than you can.

FINDS SUBSTITUTES FOR MANY SUPPLIES ENGLAND CUTS OFF



Dr. Walther Rathenau.

Dr. Walther Rathenau, who "compelled the war ministry and the industries to build factories" to produce what the Fatherland had previously imported, claims that Germany is now absolutely independent in this respect of any other nation. This great electrical engineer is called the "wizard of the empire" and the "field marshal of business," the man whose genius made it possible for Germany to defy the present blockade.

OLD WINTER SPORTS REVIVED IN ST. PAUL



St. Paul girl dressed for winter sports carnival.

This is one of the pretty girls of St. Paul who are aiding in the revival of the old winter sports carnival of the northwest. The carnival will consist of a ten days' celebration beginning January 27. All the cities of the northwest have been invited.

WILL NO LONGER SLAY ANIMALS WITH DISEASE

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, Jan. 21.—The Dutch government has decided that the combating of foot and mouth disease among cattle by the slaughter of diseased animals will be abandoned, and some other method tried. The slaughter of cattle infected with the disease cost the government nearly \$2,000,000 in indemnities in 1915, for the disease is widespread in the Netherlands. Everywhere in the rural districts boards bearing the notice "Foot and mouth disease" are to be seen on the borders of the pastures. The number of infected cattle slaughtered in the last twelve months was over 24,000.

The appropriation for the payment of indemnities to the breeders has been reduced to the almost negligible sum of \$70,000 in the budget for 1916, but a bill has been introduced placing \$800,000 at the disposal of the ministry of agriculture for the purpose of trying other means than slaughter for dealing with the disease. The breeders are to be asked to isolate cattle suspected of infection while experiments are tried in treating the disease with some of the cures recently reported as having been discovered both in the United States and Switzerland.

In Leeuwarden, the center of the Friesland cattle country, the greatest interest is displayed in the government's intention. Leeuwarden is the biggest cattle market in the Netherlands, over 250,000 heads being sold there every year, many of which go to the British Isles and Germany.

A peculiar theory in regard to the cause of the spread of foot and mouth disease was recently advanced in the Leeuwarden Courant by the district veterinary surgeon who places the blame on the flocks of wild geese which fly over the Netherlands on their way to and from the south where they migrate to escape the northern winter. He says that just in those places where the wild geese make a halt on their flight foot and mouth disease often breaks out apparently without cause, and he attributes its appearance in the district to the carrying of the parasites by the geese, which spread them on the soil.

WIRE CONNECTIONS ARE IN BAD SHAPE

Only One Wire of Western Union is in Commission to Outside World

Local wire conditions, at least as far as concerned the Western Union Telegraph company is concerned, were but little if any improved yesterday. Last night the manager of the local office stated that the wire service was in pretty bad shape, although every effort was put forth by the company's linemen to patch up the breaks and restore as far as possible, the service.

At eight o'clock yesterday evening, the only wire out of this city that remained in working order was the one running to Los Angeles. Even that one had to be used sparingly and the messages transmitted via that route, went with considerably less speed than is usually displayed. A number of the local wires were still in working order, and fairly good connections

How You Benefit By This Idea

By "positive" we mean a sale of actual values—not merely an advertising scheme to get you into our store. We're not overstocked, because we've had a fine business since early last Fall. Naturally we had to buy some things in larger quantities.

You know how people's tastes differ—how one likes this, another that. So we bought to please everybody and we succeeded. That meant buying more of some things than we actually needed, just to offer our trade a wider variety.

That's the reason for this Sale.

Quality, style and pattern measure up to our high standard of merchandise.

The price alone is lower.

Come in and look around. Use your own judgment—the goods will sell themselves.

Remember the dates—January 20, to January 31, inclusive.

40 North
Central

Home of
Hart Schaffner
and Marx
Clothing
Crossett Shoes, etc.

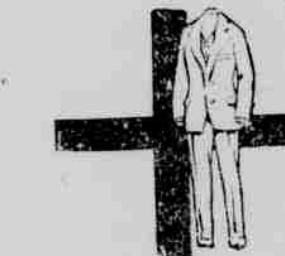
A "Positive" Sale

"Where frankness reveals your opportunity"

Some things marked at less than cost.

Many others at exact cost to us.

On a few items we will make a profit.



Our line of suits and overcoats—both Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and Crockett—your know well the style, fit and quality of the garments we have—now during our semi-annual clean-up we are making attractive reductions.

A special lot of suits and overcoats—many of them costing as much more than we are asking for them. If you can be fitted here is your big clothes opportunity. To close out at \$10.00 Olive Drab and Blue Serge excepted.



TROUSERS—Sure you need add trousers. They come in mighty handy. During our clean-up you can save money on them.

\$2.50 Trousers \$1.90
\$3.50 Trousers 2.25
\$4.00 Trousers 2.65
\$5.00 Trousers 3.00
\$6.00 Trousers 3.75
\$7.00 Trousers 4.50
\$8.00 Trousers 5.25
Olive Drab and Blue Serge excepted.

CAPS—For the boy, young man; or in fact any one that wants a cap can be suited here:

\$1.00 Values \$0.75
\$1.50 Values 1.15
\$2.00 Values 1.35
\$2.50 Values 1.65

FANCY VESTS—Our entire line included in the clean-up—\$6.00 and \$7.00 values now \$4.25

\$5.00 Values 3.75
\$4.00 Values 2.75

VESTS—Knit Sleeves—

\$10.00 Grades \$6.50
\$7.50 Grades 5.25

UNDERWEAR—A lot of broken lines wool and cotton—

Two-piece garments 55c
Spring Needle Rib worsted two-piece garments—

\$1.50 quality \$1.15
Flat weave worsted—

\$1.50 Grades \$1.15
Shirts and Drawers—

\$1.00 Garments 65c
50c Garments 45c

Union Suits—

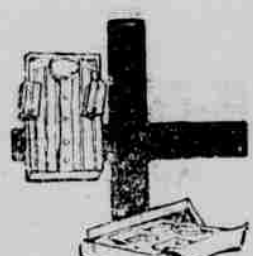
\$1.00 Grades \$0.75
\$1.50 Grades 1.15
\$2.00 Grades 1.35

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Grades 1.85
\$3.50 Grades 2.75
\$5.00 Grades 3.75

SWEATERS—A fine line; all of the new weaves and styles; regular prices range from \$2.50 to \$7.50—Clean up at \$1.90 to \$5.65

MACKINAW—The ideal coat for out-of-doors men—warm yet not bulky.

\$6.50 Grades \$4.50
\$7.50 Grades 5.25
\$15.00 Grades 11.75



SHIRTS—Goodman Ventilated \$1.00 everywhere—now 75c

Stiff and soft cuff shirts—\$1.00 value, now 65c

Earl & Wilson Shirts—

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Grades now \$1.15
\$2.50 Grades now 1.35
\$3.00 Grades now 1.85

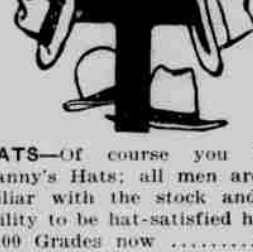
Just remember that we have a very large and carefully selected stock of Shirts for you to choose from.

Hell Brand Collars 4 for 25c

GOLF COATS—Knit in Norfolk style—very proper for sport wear—now selling at \$10.00

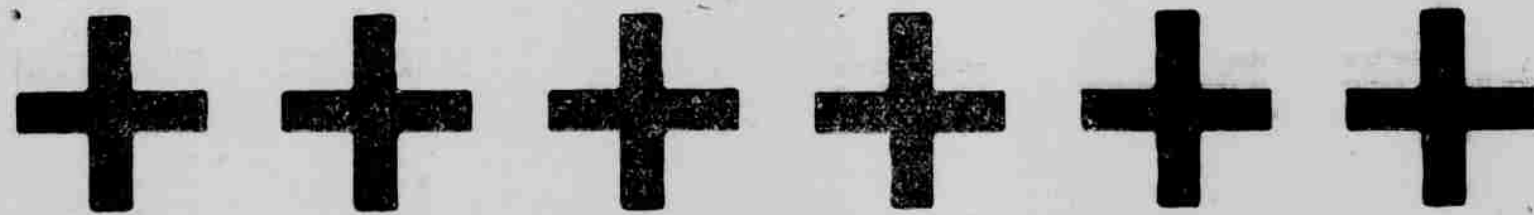
NECKWEAR—Stock up now; we have the assortment for you to choose from and are selling at clean-up prices.

50c and 75c values 3 for \$1.00



HATS—Of course you know Harry's Hats; all men are familiar with the stock and the ability to be hat-satisfied here—

\$3.00 Grades now \$2.15
\$4.00 Grades now 2.85
Stiff Hats, the season's newest blocks; and the world's best known brands are included in these reductions.



P. S. No imaginary reductions from fictitious values here.

MARICOPA MAKES BID FOR NOAH'S BELT BUT SHYARK

(By Izzy)

Over in Maricopa, which is bounded on the north by the Gila river flood, Art Rick says they are trying to take away Noah's championship belt without a decision from the referee. Noah had the best of it only that he had an ark, which would get an awful play if one could be induced to wander over to Maricopa just now. Noah took into the big boat with him two over every kind on earth, but over at Maricopa there are several of the various species of Theatrical genus, awaiting on Noah. Mutt and Jeff and a swell assortment of home grown chickens from the old farm at Forty-second and Broadway, New York, are swapping yarns with seven Lilliputians from Australia who are bound for Florence; while a band of dusky sons of Ham, gathered under the banner of the Nashville Students minstrel organization "Ten Count em Ten" are making history with a set of crap dice, and listening to the \$12,000 mit of that gink with the

HOUSE WARMING IN A. C. NEW QUARTERS

That the people of Phoenix may become familiar with the work of the Associated Charities a public reception will be held at the Charities headquarters on South Second avenue Tuesday afternoon and evening January 31. The event was scheduled for the coming Tuesday but owing to the inclemency of the weather was postponed one week.

The officers will give the reception from three o'clock until nine o'clock and while there will be social features the primary purpose of the affair is that the work of the organization might be viewed. Over one thousand cases a year come to the attention of Miss C. M. Gilchrist, the superintendent and a part of that work will be exhibited. The books

name like a new microbe, who is due at the local opary shop, shortly to crowbar the native from two Iron men per copy, and there you have the greatest aggregation of unalloyed, negro minstrels, metropolitan opera singers, fid players, midgets and chorus ladies ever assembled under one roof. Come to think of it, there must be some job for the landlord to room the bunch all water bound

will be open for inspection and an idea of the scope of the work may be gleaned from the seven branches as recorded. The work is divided in departments according to Miss Gilchrist, including employment, investigation, transportation, clothing distribution, cases recorded, friendly visitors, district committee work and family rehabilitation.

Creighton News

The P. T. A. held its regular monthly meeting at the school auditorium on Friday afternoon, and had a very interesting business meeting. So interesting in fact, that the literary part was crowded out entirely. Among other things discussed and acted upon were: First—Appointing of members of the different committees of the Arizona Congress of Mothers of P. T. A.; second: the acceptance of an invitation from the Wilson P. T. A. to attend their meeting Friday the twenty-first; third: the receiving of the report of the teachers concerning the hot lunches. This with a hand-clapping and a cheer because they were proving so much more of a success than we had dared to hope. Not only are they paying expenses, but clearing from three to four dollars a week. The teachers were given the credit which they so richly deserve and they spoke of Miss Marie Estrada who does the cooking as a "perfect jewel." It was unanimously and enthusiastically voted "not as compensation but as recognition of their services that the teachers be not allowed to pay for their

lunches." It was further voted to install a telephone at the school and a committee appointed to interview the telephone company.

Finally it was voted to make our next meeting an open meeting to hold it in the evening instead of the afternoon, and to invite the families of the members of the P. T. A.

Mr. Osborn went over to Fort Grant with two boys for the industrial school Friday morning. Last Saturday, Little Alice Forman fell from a box onto which she had climbed and broke her shoulder blade. It is still very sore.

Mrs. Mackey, who was out of school for a week on account of trouble with an eye as the aftermath of lagrippe, is back again much to the delight of not only her own room, but the whole school.

Mrs. Walter Wilson and Mrs. Osborn called upon Mrs. Manzy at the Hewens ranch, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Genevieve Threux of Benson, is visiting her old friends, the Kyler girls.

If you have no regular place of worship you will receive a hearty welcome at the Creighton M. E. church where every one meets every one else, and it is just like one big, happy family. Brother Sevringhand is an unusually good preacher and the music is also good. Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching service 11 a. m., league 7 p. m. and prayer meeting 7 on Wednesday. Just try coming once to any one of these services.

Little Sharon Stanford has been suffering from croup the past few days but is now on the road to recovery.